

ARABIC 1

For the next 4 class periods you will complete an intensive study of the Arabic alphabet. You will complete drills in units 2-4 in your book.

By the end of these 4 periods you will be able to recognize pronounce and write many of the letters of the Arabic alphabet.

Each day you will have some writing drills, some reading drills, and some speaking and listening drills. Every day you will have drills assigned in class and drills to do at home.

I will write the daily assignment and the homework on the board each day. Please copy this assignment at the beginning of class. Whatever you do not complete in class is due the next day at the beginning of class.

I will collect homework at the beginning of class everyday and I will collect classwork at the end of the day. Please write assignments on a separate page.

If you fall behind, complete the previous assignment before moving on.

REMEMBER-

1. Listening exercises require you to listen AND repeat.
2. ONCE IS NOT ENOUGH!!!

If you have questions:

1. Look back in the book
2. Try reading the introductions at the beginning of each new letter/ set of activities
3. Ask a classmate
4. Ask another Arabic student in another section
5. Ask Ustedh Shehab

For Dictations:

- 1) Listen until you can repeat exactly what you hear
- 2) Repeat until you can identify the individual sounds
- 3) Write the letters that represent the individual sounds
- 4) Follow the connecting rules to string letters together
- 5) Read what you wrote to check you answers
- 6) After you have finished, find another classmate who is finished to check

—> NB: all drills are checking your understanding of PREVIOUS sections. Often the answers to your questions can be found by looking back or doing more practice in the unit you are working on.

Alpha

Monday

Turn IN: Unit 2 Drill 3, 4,5

In class: Listening Exercises 8, 9, 10, 11

Writing practice p. 36-38

Drill 6, 7, 8, 10

Due @ the end of Class: Drill 8, 10

HW: Unit 2 Drill 11

Tuesday (Double)

Turn IN: Unit 2 Drill 11, 12

In class: Unit 2 Drill 12, 13

Unit 3

Listening Ex. 2, 3

Writing practice 47-52

Drill 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6

Due @ the end of Class: Unit 2 , Drill 12, 13 Unit 3 drill 1, 2, 4

HW: Unit 3 drill 5,6

Wednesday

Turn IN: Unit 3 drill 5, 6

In class:

Practice pronunciation of the Kha and Haa

Unit 3

Listening Exercise 5, 6, 7, 8

drill 7, 8, 9, 10, 11

Due @ the end of Class: Unit 3 drill 7, 8, 10, 11

HW: Unit 4 drill 8 (p. 80)

Thursday

Turn IN: Unit 4 drill 8 (p. 80)

In class: UNIT 4

Listening exercise 5, 6, 7, 8

Drill 6, 7, 9, 10

Due @ the end of Class: drill 9, 10

HW: Review units 1-4 Complete Unit 4 drill 11